TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1093 - HB 1301

March 19, 2015

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes towing firms to charge a fee up to \$20 to release a motor vehicle that has been attached for towing, prior to transporting the motor vehicle to any other location, when the motor vehicle has been parked on private property without authority. Creates a Class C misdemeanor for any violation.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The provisions of this bill will have no fiscal impact no state or local government because it concerns only vehicles that would be parked on private property. As such, the private property owner would be the individual initially contacting a private towing firm.
- There will not be a sufficient number of Class C misdemeanor prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant increase in revenue or expenditures.
- Any other fiscal impact as a result of this bill will be borne by private parties.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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